



A visit to the MRF includes:

- A guided hard-hat tour of the plant in operation for grade 6 through adult
- Informative programs in the education room, including interactive displays, for all age groups
- Interesting examples of products made from recycled materials
- Group tours provided at no cost
- Call 896-8300 for a reservation

TOUR HOURS/PROCEDURES

To schedule a tour or use of the education room, call the Waukesha County Recycling & Solid Waste Office at 262- 896-8300.

- *Tour groups will be limited to 10-15 people at a time (larger groups split for the tour) and school groups must be grade 6 and older. Younger students will have a program in the education room, and view processing from windows overlooking the plant floor.*
- *Releases must be signed and turned in upon arrival by all attending the tour. A copy of the release form will be mailed to teachers for parent/guardian signatures in advance.*
- *Tour groups and leaders should report to the office reception area where they will sign in and receive protective equipment (hard hat and safety glasses). Adults must sign in before the tour.*
- *Tours are restricted to designated areas only—inside yellow lines. Groups **MUST** stay close to the guide for safety and better communication.*
- *It is recommended that you wear shoes with thick soles—no sandals or open toe shoes.*
- *No food or drink allowed on tours or in the education room.*

REMEMBER: MACHINERY ALWAYS HAS THE RIGHT-OF-WAY! BE ALERT FOR A LOUD BEEP INDICATING A FRONT END LOADER OR TRUCK IS BACKING UP!



- *In-class or on-site presentations available*
- *Videos available on loan*
- *“Be Smart” scholarship information/presentations available for grades 9—12 and college level.*



- *Visit our web site at:*
www.waukeshacounty.gov/recycling

DIRECTIONS

Waukesha Co. Materials Recycling Facility (MRF)
220 S. Prairie Ave. Waukesha
(262) 548-9707

The MRF is located across the street from the Saratoga Sports Complex. Lot or street parking (east) available.

From I-94 - Take Hwy. 164 exit (Carroll College) south towards Waukesha. Make a right onto W. St. Paul. Turn left at the next light onto Prairie. Cross College Ave. (disregarding recycling sign). The MRF is the 4th building on the right.

From I-43 - Take Hwy. 164 exit north to Waukesha (about 6 mi.). Turn left on Sunset. Turn right on Prairie. Continue to the MRF.

From Bluemound Rd/JJ - Take Bluemound west, crossing over I-94. Turn left on Hwy. 164/59. Turn right on Sunset. After crossing the railroad tracks, turn right on Prairie and continue to the MRF.



PLAN A GROUP VISIT TO THE “MRF”

(Materials Recycling Facility)
220 S. Prairie Ave. Waukesha

Discover the relationship between recycling, energy savings, waste reduction, and cost savings!

A presentation of surprising recycling facts is guaranteed to raise awareness of the critical role recycling and waste reduction play in saving energy and reducing pollution, as well as related information on composting and landfills.

Our presentation is suitable for a variety of age groups from youth to adult, including school classes and community clubs and organizations.

Special activities for pre-school to 5th grade include a visit with the talking Wise Tree of Recycling, a large 3-layer “History of Trash” puzzle, a recycling “mistake” bin and relay game.



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